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**PATENT**

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**Amendments to the Specification:**

Replace the Title of the invention as follows:

A METHOD FOR PERFORMING A PLURALITY OF CANDIDATE ACTIONS  
AND MONITORING THE RESPONSES SO AS TO CHOOSE THE NEXT CANDIDATE  
ACTION TO TAKE TO CONTROL A SYSTEM SO AS TO OPTIMALLY CONTROL ITS  
OBJECTIVE FUNCTION